

DATE: November 18, 2004

SUBJECT: Temporary Authorization of New Institutions under the
Postsecondary Authorization Act

ACTION RECOMMENDED: Temporary Authorization

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: The Commission, under the Postsecondary Authorization Act, has the “power and duty” to act upon applications for authorization to operate an educational institution in the state. For the institutions listed below, applications have been reviewed, site visits have been performed, and all necessary documentation and bonds have been secured. The Committee on Postsecondary Educational Institutions met on October 21, 2004 and endorsed staff recommendations for Temporary Authorization of the following institutions.

A. American Academy of Nutrition

Knoxville TN

Change of Ownership

American Academy of Nutrition is located at 1204 – D Kenesaw in Knoxville, Tennessee. The institution is a for-profit corporation authorized by THEC in May of 1995. The institution was sold on May 1, 2004 to Janus University, L.P.

The institution will offer three programs previously approved by THEC:

Master of Science	Nutrition
Associate of Science	Nutrition Science
Diploma	Comprehensive Nutrition Program

The institution will offer the following three programs not previously approved by THEC:

Program:	Natural Sciences
Credential Awarded:	Diploma
Length of Program:	18 credit hours (15-months)

Program:	Women’s Nutrition
Credential Awarded:	Diploma
Length of Program:	18 credit hours (15-months)

Program:	Small Business Management
Credential Awarded:	Diploma
Length of Program:	18 credit hours (15-months)

The school does not participate in Title IV funding programs.

B. Career Academy

Memphis TN

Career Academy is located at 3000 Walnut Grove Road in Memphis, Tennessee. The school is a sole-proprietorship.

The school will offer one program.

Program:	Certified Nursing Assistant
Credential Awarded:	Certificate of Completion
Length of Program:	120 contact hours (4-weeks)

The school does not participate in Title IV funding.

C. Certified Nursing Technician School (CNT)

Brentwood TN

Change of Ownership

Certified Nursing Technician School is located at 409 Franklin Road in Brentwood, Tennessee. The school is a sole-proprietorship authorized by THEC in November 2003. The institution was sold on July 1, 2004 to Carol Combs.

The school will offer one program previously approved by THEC:

Certificate of Completion	Certified Nursing Assistant [Day/Evening]
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The school does not participate in Title IV funding.

D. Dan New Faces Model and Talent

Nashville TN

Dan New Faces Model and Talent is located at 521 Eighth Avenue, South in Nashville, Tennessee. The school is a sole proprietorship.

The school will offer two programs.

Program:	On Camera Acting
Credential Awarded:	Certificate of Completion
Length of Program:	8 contact hours (4 days)

Program:	Professional Modeling
Credential Awarded:	Certificate of Completion
Length of Program:	8 contact hours (4-days)

The school does not participate in Title IV funding.

E. Harvest Institute for Biblical Studies

Knoxville TN

Harvest Institute of Biblical Studies is located at 4615 Asheville Highway in Knoxville, Tennessee. The school is a not-for-profit corporation.

The school will offer three programs.

Program: Biblical Studies
Credential Awarded: Master of Biblical Studies
Length of Program: 420 contact hours (24-months)

Program: Biblical Studies
Credential Awarded: Bachelor of Biblical Studies
Length of Program: 903 contact hours (48-months)

Program: Biblical Studies
Credential Awarded: Associate of Biblical Studies
Length of Program: 462 contact hours (24-months)

The school does not participate in Title IV funding.

F. Inspection Training Associates

Nashville TN

Inspection Training Associates is located at 30 Rachel Drive in Nashville, Tennessee. The school is a for-profit corporation.

The school will offer three programs.

Program: Correspondence Inspection Training
Credential Awarded: Certificate of Completion
Length of Program: 125 contact hours (self-paced)

Program: Fast Track Training 1
Credential Awarded: Certificate of Completion
Length of Program: 55 contact hours (1-week)

Program: Residential Inspection
Credential Awarded: Certificate of Completion
Length of Program: 90 contact hours (2-weeks)

The school does not participate in Title IV funding.

G. Miller Motte Technical College

Goodlettsville TN

Miller – Motte Technical College – Goodlettsville is located at Space Park North, Building 8 in Goodlettsville, Tennessee. The school is a for-profit corporation accredited by the Accrediting Council of Independent Colleges and Schools (ACICS).

The school will offer two programs.

Program: Electrician Technology
Credential Awarded: Diploma
Length of Program: 48 quarter credit hours (12-months)

Program: HVAC/Refrigeration
Credential Awarded: Diploma

Length of Program: 48 quarter credit hours (12-months)

The school participates in Title IV funding.

H. Paducah Technical College

Paducah KY

Change of Ownership

Paducah Technical College is located at 509 South 30th Street in Paducah, Kentucky. The institution is a recruitment only; for-profit corporation accredited by the Accrediting Commission of Career Schools and Colleges of Technology (ACCSCT). The school was sold to Daymar Learning of Paducah, Inc. on July 28, 2004.

The school will offer two programs previously approved by THEC:

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| 1. Electronic Engineering Technology | Associate of Applied Science |
| 2. Office Technology | Diploma |

The school will offer the following two programs not previously approved by THEC:

Program:	Business Management
Credential Awarded:	Associate of Applied Science
Length of Program:	66 credit hours (24-months)

Program:	Programmable Logic Controller
Credential Awarded:	Diploma
Length of Program:	6 credit hours (8-weeks)

The school participates in Title IV funding.

I. Virginia Intermont College

Kingsport TN

Virginia Intermont College is located at 999 Konnarock Road in Kingsport, Tennessee. The school is a not-for-profit corporation accredited by the Commission of Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS).

The school will offer two programs.

Program:	Culinary Arts
Credential Awarded:	Bachelor of Arts
Length of Program:	57 semester credit hours (2-years)

Program:	Culinary Arts
Credential Awarded:	Associate of Science
Length of Program:	36 semester credit hours (12-months)

The school participates in Title IV funding.